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For: **METHODS OF PRODUCING CARBON  
NANOTUBES USING PEPTIDE OR  
NUCLEIC ACID MICROPATTERNING**

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 17, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.